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Gears of War.

Gears of War is a media franchise centered on a series of video games created by Epic Games, developed and managed by The Coalition, and owned and published by Xbox Game Studios.

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Gears of War.

The franchise is best known for its third-person shooter video games, which has been supplemented by spin-off video game titles, a DC comic book series, seven novels, a board game adaptation and various merchandise.

The original trilogy focuses on the conflict between humanity and the subterranean reptilian humanoid known as the Locust Horde on the world of Sera.

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Gears of War.

The first installment, Gears of War, was released on November 7, 2006 for the Xbox 360.

The game follows protagonist Marcus Fenix, a soldier in the Coalition of Ordered Governments tasked to lead a last-ditch effort to destroy the Locust Horde and save humanity.

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Gears of War.

Gears of War became one of the best-selling franchises for the Xbox 360.

The series puts emphasis on cover-based combat, in which players can use objects to avoid gunfire or safely engage enemies.

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Gears of War.

The Gears of War games have been amongst the most popular and most played titles on Xbox Live.

The series puts emphasis on cover-based combat, in which players can use objects to avoid gunfire or safely engage enemies.

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The Gears of War series takes place in an alternate universe on Sera, a fictional Earth-like planet.

Human civilization develops and endures a millennia-long conflict that leaves humanity on the brink of extinction.

Sera's leaders broker an era of peace that ushers scientific advancements and a cultural renaissance.

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Gears of War is set fourteen years after the Locust emerged, and four years into Marcus Fenix's imprisonment.

The COG forces devise a last-ditch offensive to destroy the Locust by detonating the Lightmass Bomb in their tunnels.

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Gears of War.

Marcus is reinstated into the COG army to supplement their depleted ranks and joins Dominic Santiago in Delta Squad on a mission to map the Locust tunnel network in preparation for the bombing.

Gears of War was a hit upon its release.

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Gears of War.

On November 7, 2006—the day that it was released—it became the most popular game on the Xbox Live service, until the release of Halo 3.

Gears of War was one of the most anticipated games of 2006.

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Gears of War.

Guinness World Records awarded Gears of War with the following world records 2008.

These records include, "First Console Game to Use the Unreal 3 Engine",

"Fastest Selling Original Xbox 360 Game",

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"First Music Single to Top the Chart After Promoting a Video Game" for the Gary Jules version of "Mad World", which was originally released in 2003,

but topped the download charts in November 2006 after it was used as background music during the TV commercial for Gears of War.

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Gears of War.

Upon its release, Gears of War received universal acclaim from critics, maintaining an average review score of 93.97%.

Most reviewers praised the game for its concept visuals, presentation and sound.

Gears of War was called one of most gorgeous looking games on the Xbox 360.

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Gears of War 2

Gears of War 2 is a third-person shooter video game developed by Epic Games and published by Microsoft Game Studios for the Xbox 360.

It is the second installment of the Gears of War series

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Gears of War 2

The game expands technically on the previous game by using a modified Unreal Engine 3.

In Gears of War 2, the COG continues its fight against the Locust, who are attempting to sink all of the cities on the planet Sera.

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Gears of War 2

Sergeant Marcus Fenix leads Delta Squad into the depths of the planet to try to stop the Locust during the assault upon Locust territory.

he player controls Fenix in the main mission campaign, with the ability to play cooperatively with a second player controlling Fenix's best friend and fellow Squad member Dominic "Dom" Santiago.

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Gears of War 2

The game includes several existing and new multiplayer modes including five-on-five battles between human and Locust forces, and a "Horde" mode that challenges up to five players against waves of Locust forces with ever-increasing strength. New weapons and gameplay mechanics such as "chainsaw duels" and the ability to use downed foes as "meatshields" were added to the game.

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Gears of War 2

On its release weekend, Gears of War 2 sold over two million copies.

It was the seventh best selling video game of 2009 and received several accolades.

The game received similar praise as its predecessor, with the new gameplay and multiplayer modes seen as outstanding.

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Gears of War 3

Gears of War 3 is a third-person shooter video game developed by Epic Games and published by Microsoft Studios for the Xbox 360.

It is the third installment of the Gears of War series and final game in the original trilogy.

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Gears of War 3

Like its predecessors, Gears of War 3 received widespread critical acclaim from critics.

Critics praised its story, voice acting, visuals, and music, but criticized its lack of innovation.

Gears of War 3 sold over 3 million copies

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Gears of War: Judgment.

Gears of War: Judgment is a third-person shooter video game developed by People Can Fly and Epic Games and published by Microsoft Studios for the Xbox 360.

It is a spin-off of the Gears of War series and a prequel to the entire franchise.

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Gears of War: Judgment.

The game follows Damon Baird, Augustus Cole and their squad Kilo as they are put on trial for disobeying orders just six weeks after Emergence Day.

Gears of War: Judgment received positive reactions from critics, but a poor reception from fans.

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Gears of War: Judgment.

The game under performed commercially, selling only 1 million copies by August 2013.

campaign is divided into six chapters, each with several missions.

Gears of War: Judgment has two new multiplayer modes, Over Run and Free-for-All.

Gears of War: Judgment has received positive reviews from critics.

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Gears of War 4.

Gears of War 4 is a 2016 third-person shooter video game developed by The Coalition and published by Microsoft Studios for Windows and Xbox One.

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Gears of War 4.

It is the fourth main installment in the Gears of War series, and the first mainline entry not to be developed by Epic Games.

The game was released worldwide on October 11, 2016.

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Gears of War 4.

Upon release, the game received generally positive reviews, with critics praising the game's combat, visuals and set pieces, while criticism was directed towards the campaign and writing.

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Gears of War 4.

Many gameplay elements from the previous games are reintroduced, along with new elements such as the Dropshot weapon that fires explosive drills and the Buzzkill that fires ricocheting saw blades at enemies.

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Gears of War 4.

Like previous entries in the series, the story campaign can be played through co-cooperatively with a second player in a local or online co-operative mode.

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Gears of War 4.

Gears of War 4 takes place 25 years after the events of Gears of War 3, where the Imulsion Countermeasure weapon destroyed all Imulsion on the planet Sera.

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Gears of War 4.

The game's main story focuses on J.D. Fenix the son of Marcus Fenix and Anya Stroud.

Tho, alongside his friends Delmont "Del" Walker and Kait Diaz deal with a new threat to humanity's survival.

Gears of War 4 received generally favorable reviews,

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Gears of War 5.

Gears 5 is a 2019 third-person shooter video game developed by The Coalition and published by Xbox Game Studios for Windows, Xbox One, and Xbox Series X/S.

It is the fifth main installment of the Gears of War series and the sequel to Gears of War 4.

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Gears of War 5.

Gears 5 follows the story of Kait Diaz, who is on a journey to find out the origin of the Locust Horde, the main antagonistic faction of the Gears of War series.

Gears 5 received generally favorable reviews from critics who praised the gameplay, campaign, presentation and amount of content, but criticised the story and overall lack of innovation.

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Gears of War 5.

Delta Squad travel to the ruins of Azura to restore an old super weapon network called the Hammer of Dawn.

The game received enhancements for the Xbox Series X upon its launch, including higher resolution textures, new visual effects such as fog, and running at 60 frames per second.

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Gears Tactics 2020.

Gears Tactics is a turn-based tactics video game developed by Splash Damage in conjunction with The Coalition and published by Xbox Game Studios.

It is a spin-off of the Gears of War franchise and a prequel to the first game.

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Gears Tactics 2020.

The game is played from a top-down perspective and is a turn-based tactics title in which players issue commands to a squad of human soldiers to eliminate the hostiles in a map and depending on the mission.

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Gears Tactics 2020.

One year after Emergence Day, when a subterranean race of creatures called the Locust Horde emerged on the surface in a campaign to kill every human on the planet of Sera.

The game received generally positive reviews upon release.

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Gears Tactics 2020.

The Player Takes Control of Alpha Squad which is led by Pendulum Wars hero Sgt. Gabriel Diaz who had been demoted and is now working in the motor pool.

Mere hours before the Hammer Strikes, Alpha Squad receives orders from Major Sid Redburn to retrieve classified Intel files.

The game received generally positive reviews upon release.

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Rocket Knight Adventures is a platform game developed and published by Konami for the Sega Genesis.

The game involves Sparkster, an opossum knight who wields a rocket pack and sword that can emit energy projectiles as he attempts to stop the Devotindos Empire, an evil empire that attempts to break the seal of a powerful starship.

Rocket Knight Adventures was well received by critics, who praised the music and graphics.

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Rocket Knight Adventures was released in Japan and North America in August 1993 and in Europe in September.

Upon release, the game received positive reviews.

The game is composed of seven stages, with each stage composed of several sections and each one ending with a boss fight.

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Sly Cooper and the Thievius Raccoonus.

Sly Cooper and the Thievius Raccoonus also known as Sly Raccoon is a 2002 action stealth video game developed by Sucker Punch Productions.

Published by Sony Computer Entertainment for the PlayStation 2.

The game follows the Thief Sly Cooper and his gang.

Sly Cooper with the help Bentley the Turtle and Murray the Hippo they seek out criminals known as the Fiendish Five to recover the pages of the "Thievius Raccoonus", the book of the accumulation of all of Sly's ancestors' thieving moves.

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Sly Cooper and the Thievius Raccoonus was praised for its technical achievements, particularly its use of a variation on cel-shading rendering, which is used to create a film noir feel while still rendered as a hand-drawn animated film.

It was remastered alongside its initial two sequels and compiled as The Sly Collection for the PlayStation 3 and PlayStation Vita.

The game was digitally re-released on PlayStation 4 and PlayStation 5 on June 11, 2024.

Sly Cooper and the Thievius Raccoonus received "generally favorable" reviews.

STREETS OF RAGE 4

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Streets of Rage 4 is a side-scrolling beat 'em up game.

The game is a continuation of Sega's Streets of Rage trilogy, originally released for the Sega Genesis during the 1990s.

It was released for Nintendo Switch, PlayStation 4, Windows, Xbox One, Linux, and macOS, in 2020, for Stadia in 2021, and Android and iOS in 2022.

Streets of Rage 4 received generally positive reviews and sold over 2.5 million copies by April 2021.

STREETS OF RAGE 4

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Carrying on the style of gameplay from previous entries in the Streets of Rage series from the early 1990s.

Streets of Rage 4 is a side-scrolling beat 'em up in which up to four players locally or two players online fight against waves of enemies, aided by disposable weapons and item pickups.

Alongside standard attacks, throws, and Blitz Moves, each player character has a set of special attacks that can be performed at the cost of some health.

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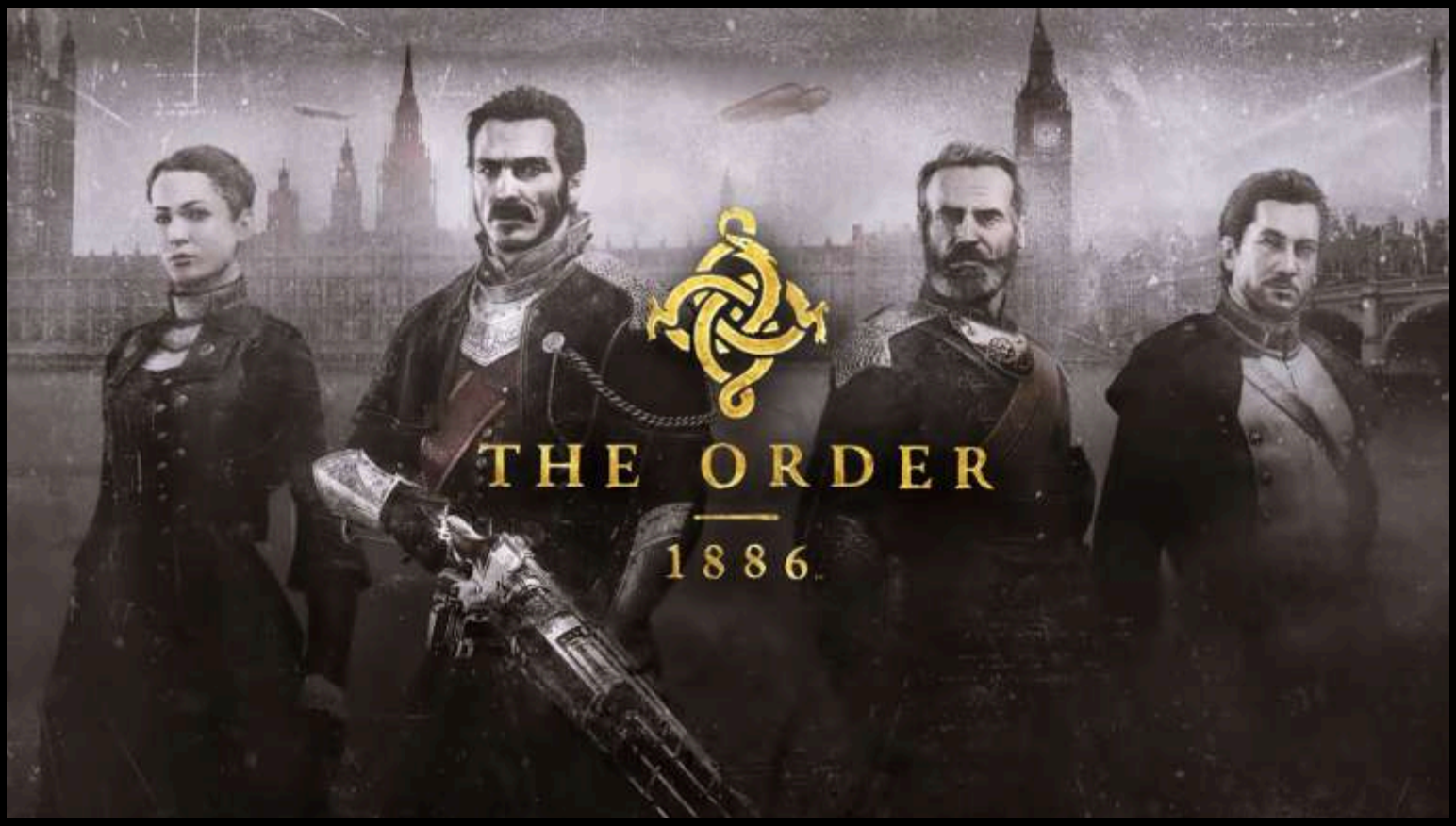

The Order: 1886 is a 2015 third-person action-adventure video game developed by Ready at Dawn and published by Sony Computer Entertainment.

It was released for PlayStation 4 on February 20, 2015.

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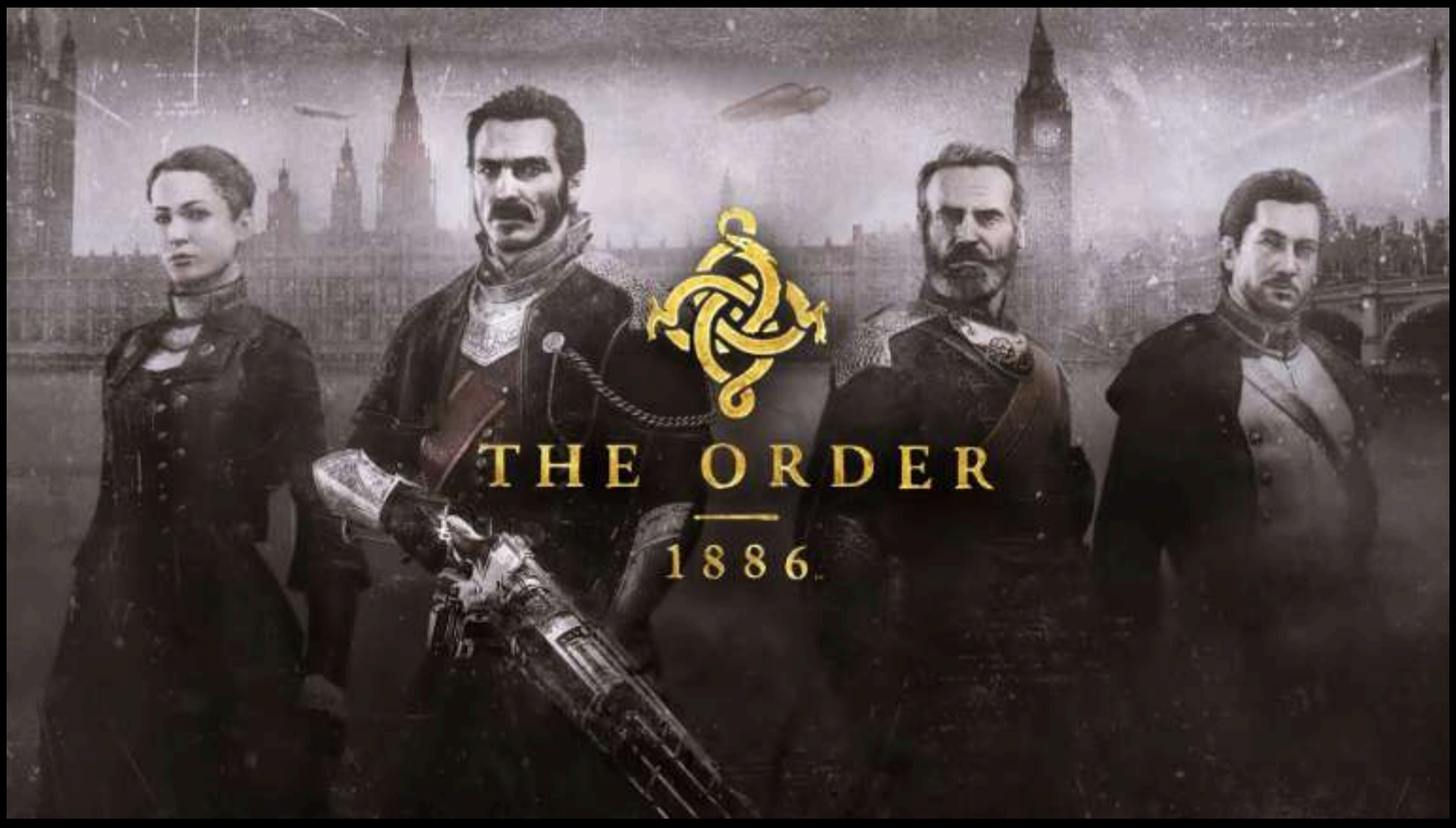

Set in an 1886 alternate history steampunk London, the game follows the Knights of the Round Table as they battle to keep the world safe from half-breeds, such as werewolves and vampires, as well as fringe organizations rebelling against the government.

The Order: 1886 received mixed reviews from critics.

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BINARY DOMAIN

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Binary Domain is a third-person shooter video game.

It was released for PlayStation 3 and Xbox 360 in February 2012 and Windows in April 2012.

The game is set in Tokyo, Japan, in the year 2080.

The game is set in a world where global warming has caused worldwide flooding, leaving much of the world uninhabitable.

BINARY DOMAIN

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As a result, robots were used as the main labor force.

The game features a consequence system, which decides how non-playable characters in the squad view and trust the player in story mode.

The game also features seven different multiplayer modes, with five classes being available for players to choose.

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In the game's backstory, global warming has caused worldwide flooding, leaving much of the world uninhabitable.

This forced the governments to build new cities above the waterline, using the ruined cities as foundations.

Since much of the world's population had died during the climate crisis, robots were used as the main labor force.

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An American-based company called Bergen controlled a very large majority of the world's robotic industries, making America much more powerful.

World economic concerns lead to the creation of a new set of international laws.

One of the clauses outlined, Clause 21, banned research into robots that could pass for humans.

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A majority of the world's countries agreed to sign the convention into law.

An organization called the International Robotics Technology Association created a global task-force, nicknamed "Rust Crews", to deal with breaches of the convention.

Binary Domain received positive reviews from critics.

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VANQUISH

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Vanquish is an action third-person shooter video game developed by Platinum Games and published by Sega for the PlayStation 3 and Xbox 360.

The game is notable for introducing several innovations to the 3D shooter genre, including a fast-paced style of gameplay reminiscent of 2D bullet hell shooters,beat 'em up elements and an original sliding-boost mechanic.

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In the near future, Earth's human population burgeons to the point where nations fight for scarce resources.

It received a positive critical reaction upon release, with critics praising the game's fast-paced action, innovations to the shooter genre.

while criticizing the game's writing, voice acting and overall short length of the campaign.

VANQUISH

BRINK GAMER

Brink is a first-person shooter video game developed by Splash Damage and published by Bethesda Softworks for Microsoft Windows, PlayStation 3 and Xbox 360 in May 2011.

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In Brink, two factions, Resistance and Security, battle in a once-utopian city called The Ark, a floating city above the waters of a flooded Earth.

BRINK GAMER

Brink is a first-person shooter with a strong focus on parkour-style movement.

The game received mixed reviews but was commercially successful.

BRINK GAMER

As of 2012, Brink had sold over 2.5 million units and generated around $120–140 million in revenue.

The PC version of Brink became free-to-play on 22 August 2017.

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There are four character classes: Soldier, Medic, Engineer, and Operative.

Soldiers: Soldiers are primarily concerned with destroying important objects with explosives.

They are also in charge of resupplying their teammates with ammo. .

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Engineers: The Engineer is concerned primarily with building, repairing, and upgrading things on the battlefield.

They can also upgrade the weapons and body armor of themselves and their teammates, and plant hidden landmines and turrets.

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Medics: Medics revive downed teammates and buff their teammates' health. They also have special health buffs they can dispense to their teammates.

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Operatives: Operatives are the spies of Brink.

They can hack computers to complete certain Mission Objectives and can also disguise themselves as the enemy.

They are the only class that can spot hidden landmines.

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BIONIC COMMANDO

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Bionic Commando is a 2009 action-adventure video game, part of the Bionic Commando series.

The game was developed by Swedish developer Grin and published by Capcom.

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The game is a sequel to the 1988 NES game Bionic Commando.

Bionic Commando is an action-adventure game, in which the player controls player character Nathan Spencer.

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Nathan Spencer is able to target enemies while hanging, climbing a building or even in mid-swing, while using an implement called the 'Bionic Arm' which can also be used to attack enemies at close range.

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The bionic arm can be used to grab and launch objects such as boulders and cars at enemies.

In addition, he is equipped with boots that enable him to survive extremely long falls.

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Spencer is equipped with Tungsten gun, which is shot quickly but does minimum damage to the enemies, and Prototype gun, which fires fast and does maximum damage and he can use throwables such as grenades.

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Players can also use special weapons such as sniper rifle, machine gun, shotgun, grenade launcher and missile launcher with limited amount of ammo.

Bionic Commando received "average" reviews on all platforms.

BIONIC COMMANDO

ReCore GAMER

ReCore is an action-adventure and platform video game developed by Armature Studio and published by Microsoft Studios for Windows and Xbox One.

The game was released worldwide in September 2016 and re-released in August 2017.

ReCore

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The story tracks Joule Adams, one of the first volunteers for the utopian colony of Far Eden, who wakes after centuries in cryo-sleep to find that nothing has gone according to plan.

With her three robotic machines known as corebot companions, Joule ventures throughout Far Eden to uncover the secrets behind the failed mission.

The open world of Far Eden is subject to exploration and the collection of resources.

Joule's weapons are color-coded to inflict damage on a particular set of enemies and, like her companions, can also be enhanced.

The corebots support her in battle and puzzle solving.

ReCore GAMER

ReCore is set roughly 200 years in the future. In the course of the early 2020s, a disease called the "Dust Devil Plague" began to ravage the Earth.

An organization named Mandate led global efforts to fight the disease.

As the Earth became uninhabitable, Mandate launched several missions to a new planet known as Far Eden.

ReCore

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Far Eden was discovered many light-years away in the first decades of the 21st century.

Several thousand corebots were sent to build atmospheric processing facilities on Far Eden, and the first group of colonists was sent.

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The colonists were to hibernate in cryo-sleep for 200 years while the terraforming process finished.

During this period, many of the colonists vanished, and the corebots became corrupted.

ReCore GAMER

The game begins on the desert world of Far Eden as one of the colonists Joule Adams and her corebot Mack are walking past the wreckage of her cryo-sleep maintenance habitat.

ReCore received "mixed or average" reviews

darkSector GAMER

darkSector, is a third-person shooter video game developed by Digital Extremes for the Xbox 360, PlayStation 3 and Microsoft Windows.

The game is set in the fictional Eastern Bloc country of Lasria, and centers on protagonist Hayden Tenno.

darkSector

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While trying to intercept a rogue agent named Robert Mezner, Hayden's right arm is infected with the fictional Technocyte virus, which gives him the ability to grow a three-pronged "Glaive" at will.

Dark Sector received mixed reviews for its visual design, originality of action and weapon-based gameplay.

darkSector

SWORDFISH

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Swordfish is a 2001 American action thriller film directed by Dominic Sena, written by Skip Woods, produced by Joel Silver.

starring John Travolta, Hugh Jackman, Halle Berry, Don Cheadle, Vinnie Jones, and Sam Shepard.

The film centers on Stanley Jobson, an ex-con and computer hacker who is targeted for recruitment into a bank robbery conspiracy because of his formidable hacking skills.

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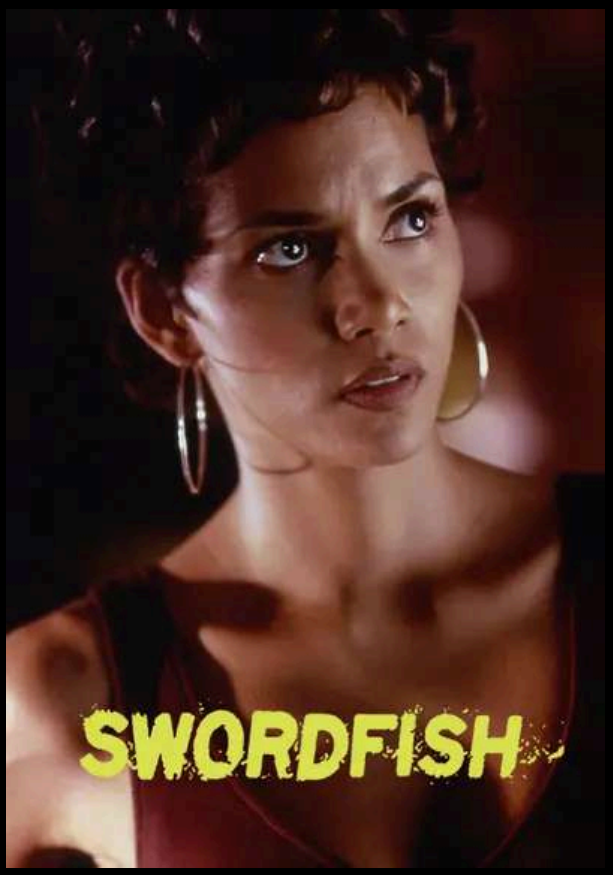
Stanley Jobson is a cyber-hacker who became notorious for infecting the FBI's Carnivore program with a computer virus.



Stanley's parole forbids him from accessing the internet and computers while his ex-wife Melissa, an alcoholic and part-time porn star, has issued a restraining order against him.

This also prevents him from seeing his only daughter, Holly.

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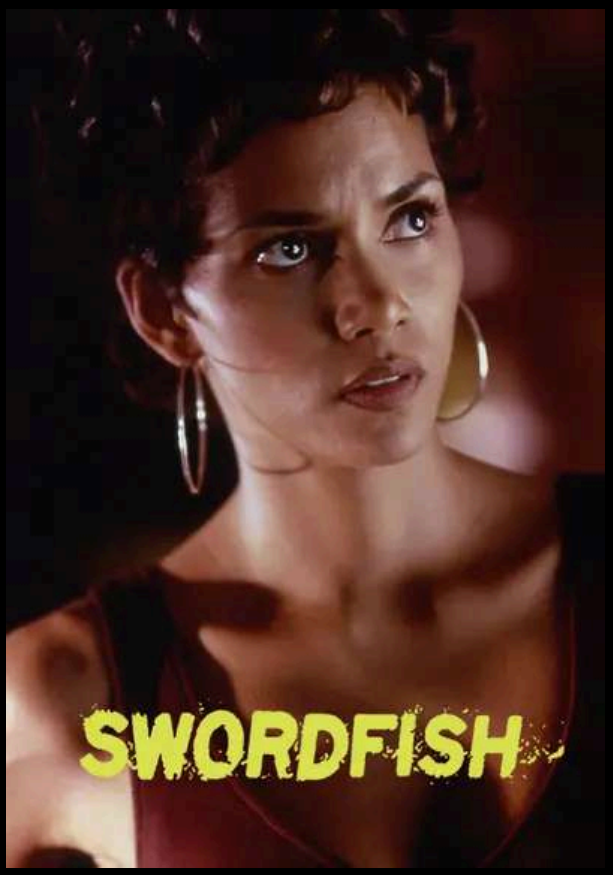
Ginger Knowles persuades Stanley to work for Gabriel Shear, who forces him into cracking a secure Defense Department server.



The film grossed over $147 million in worldwide box office receipts on a production budget of $102 million.

Swordfish is a Good Movie and worth a watch

MICROSOFT SURFACE DIAL

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For those who don't know, the Surface Dial is a hockey puck-like device that is touch sensitive in multiple ways.

It can detect when it's resting on a compatible Surface display; developers and artists are able to add on-screen functions to the Dial, allowing you to easily scroll through and fine-tune your brushes and other settings, primarily in art apps.

Popular inking apps like Photo-shop and Sketchable both make good use of the Surface Dial.

You can use the Surface Dial without placing it on-screen, however, and artists who find themselves using lots of key-binds and shortcuts appreciate what it has to offer.

Microsoft Surface

MICROSOFT SURFACE DIAL

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That said, when it's not on-screen it doesn't really offer anything a keyboard or mouse scroll wheel doesn't already provide.

Surface Dial is compatible with any PC, laptop, or tablet that has the latest version of Windows 10 and supports Bluetooth LE1.

Surface Dial works on screen with Surface Studio (1st Gen), Surface Studio 2, Surface Book 2, Surface Pro 4, Surface Pro (5th Gen), and Surface Pro 6.

Microsoft Surface

MICROSOFT SURFACE DIAL

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The Microsoft Surface Dial is a fascinating tool for creative professionals and budding amateurs a like.

It provides a completely new way to interact with technology and create in a natural, immersive manner.

Here are some key features:

Concept to Creation: With the Surface Dial, customize, access, navigate, and re-imagine physical tools in the digital world.

Microsoft Surface

MICROSOFT SURFACE DIAL

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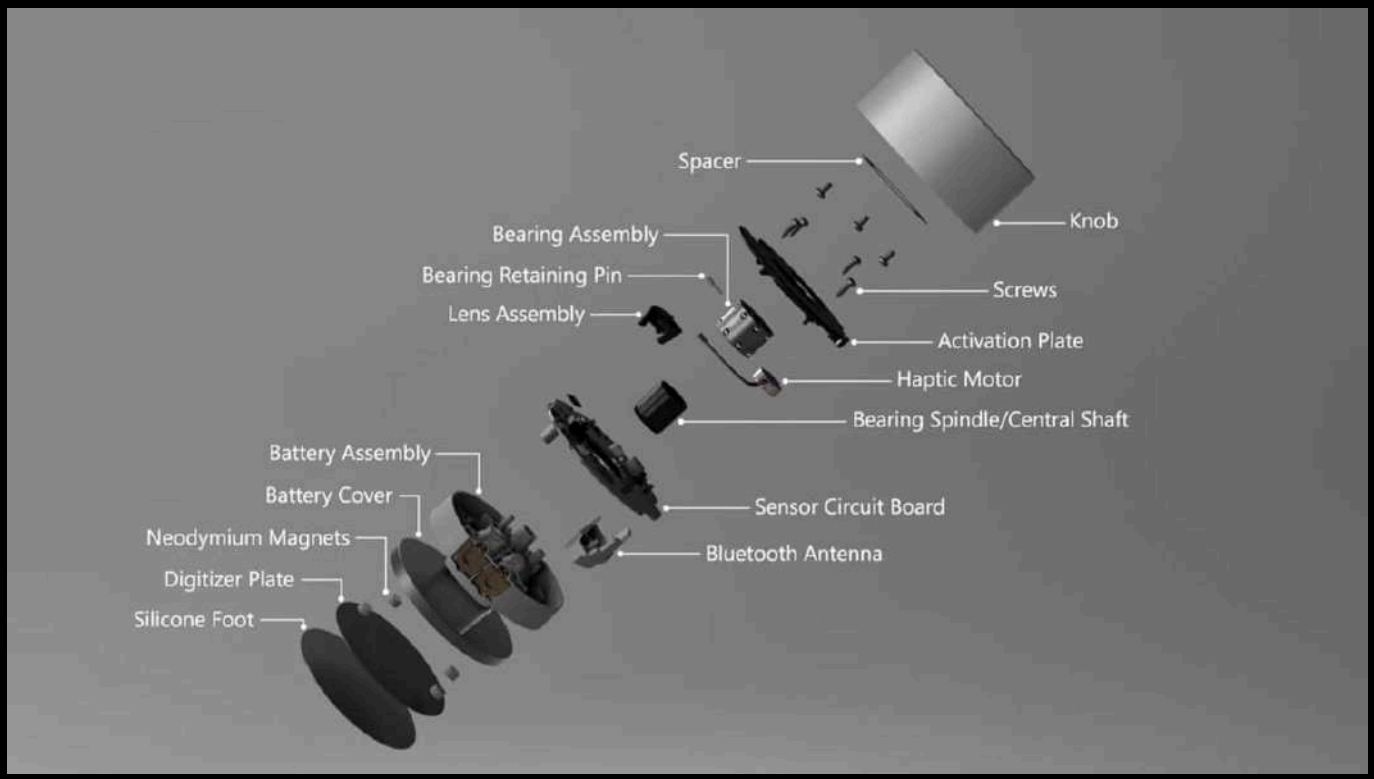
Dial allows you to unlock your creativity by providing easy access to shortcuts, controls, drawing tools.

Whether you're a designer, artist, or simply someone who enjoys creative expression, the Surface Dial can be a valuable addition to your toolkit.



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Alien Breed: Tower Assault is run and gun video game, the third in the Alien Breed franchise.

Like the first two games in the series, it is a science fiction-themed, top-down shooter.

ALIEN BREED

It was released in 1994 by Team17 for the Amiga, PC and CD32.

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A deep space barracks receives a distress signal from a science facility on an otherwise uninhabited planet.

With no idea what to expect, a small troop of soldiers are sent to search the planet for survivors and

neutralize any threat.

ALIEN BREED

Alien Breed: Tower Assault much less linear than its predecessors—the blurb on the back of the box boasts more than 276 possible ways of completing the game.

Alien Breed Tower Assault received generally positive reviews.

SENSIBLE GOLF

TEAM 17

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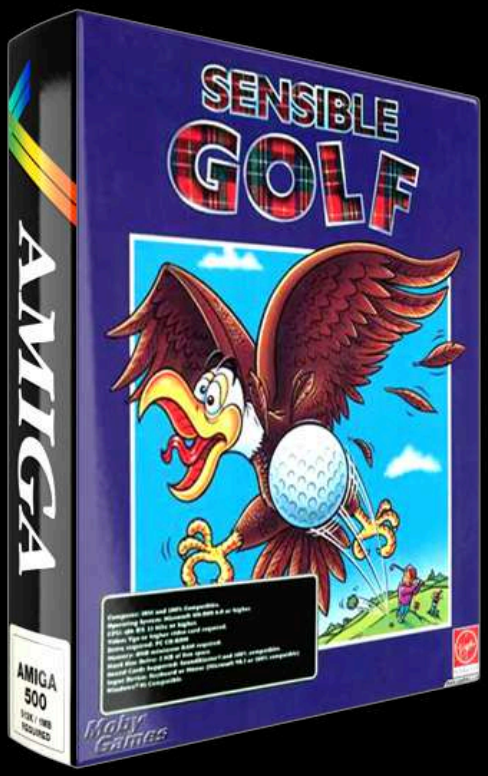
Sensible Golf is a 2D golf game released by Sensible Software in 1995 for the Amiga.



It uses the same pin-like characters as Sensible Soccer and Cannon Fodder.

The game received Average reviews and sold poorly.

For Sensible Software

It was to be their last commercial Amiga release.

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Notepad++ is a free and open-source text and source code editor for use with Microsoft Windows.

It supports tabbed editing, which allows working with multiple open files in a single window.

The product's name comes from the C postfix increment operator; it is sometimes referred to as npp or NPP.

Notepad++ is distributed as free software.

At first, the project was hosted on Source-Forge, from where it was downloaded over 28 million times and twice won the Source-Forge Community Choice Award for Best Developer Tool.

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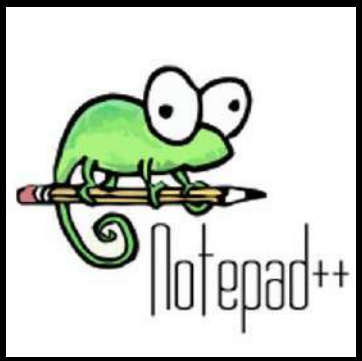

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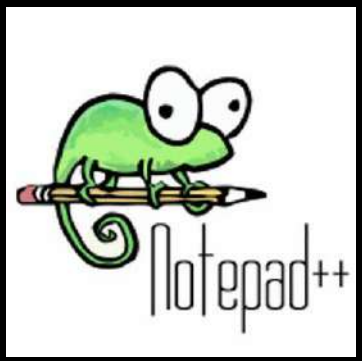

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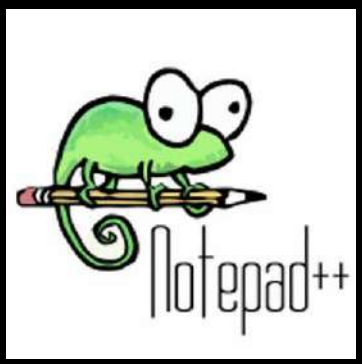
Notepad++ has features for consuming and creating cross-platform plain text files.

In addition, it supports reinterpreting plain text files in various character encodings and can convert them to ASCII, UTF-8 or UCS-2.

As such, it can fix plain text that seem gibberish only because their character encoding is not properly detected.

Notepad++ is one of best text editors that i have ever used.

This Magazine was Created Using Notepad++ for all the Source text.



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Notepad++ also has features that improve plain text editing experience in general, such as:

Auto save

Finding and replacing strings of text with regular expressions.

Searching text strings within opened tabs.

Searching text strings in a directory

Guided indentation.

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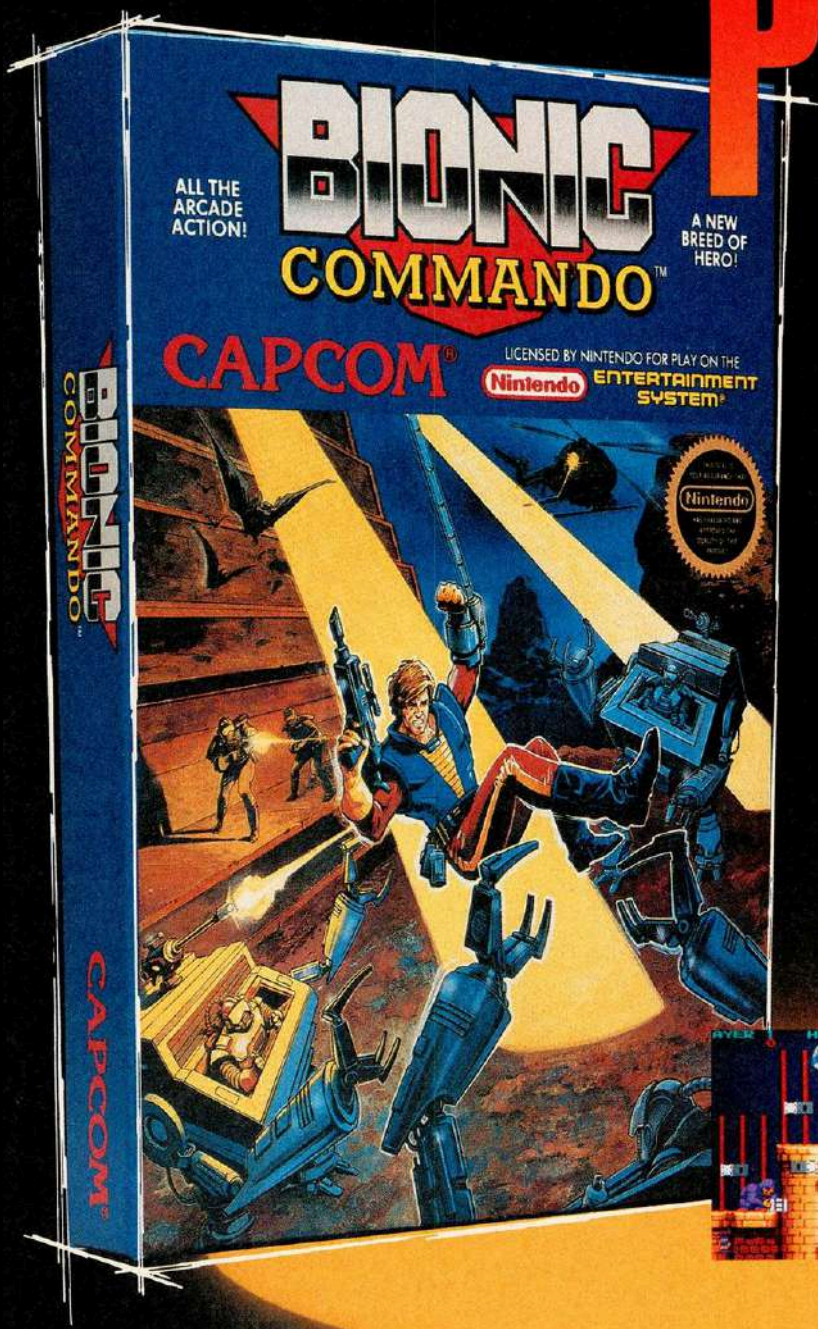

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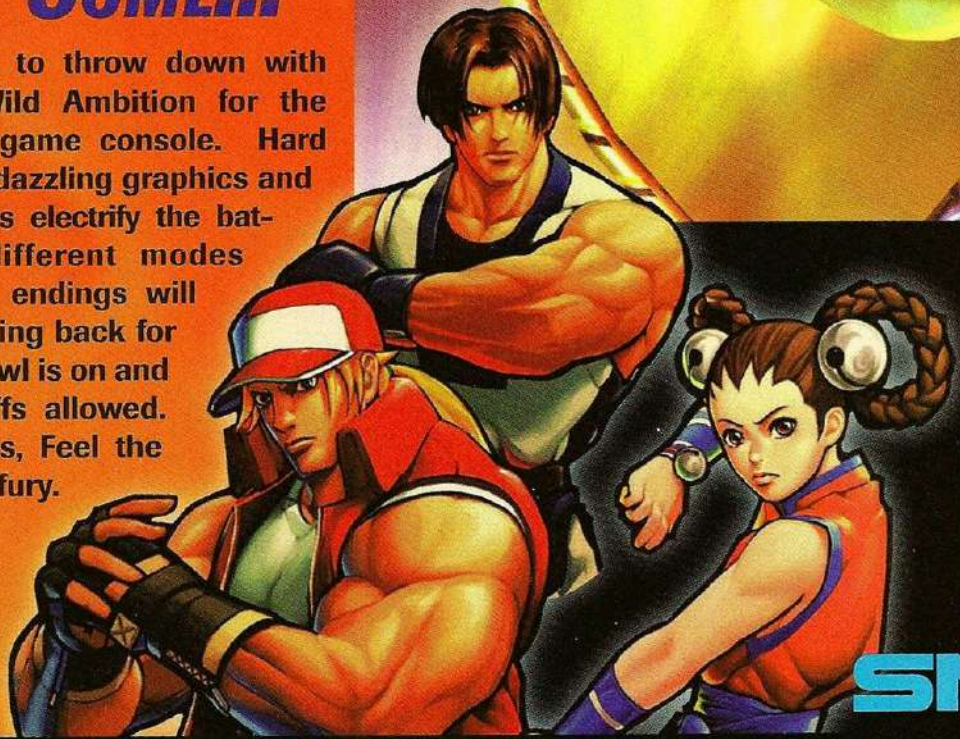

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